

Executive Bio

Carlos Garcia

Founder & President KIRA LLC



Carlos Garcia is the Founder and previous owner of KIRA Incorporated. KIRA was recently acquired by the Tribally Owned Tlingit Haida Tribal Business Corporation (THTBC) in 2016. Because Carlos is such an integral part of the success of the company, he continues to serve under the new ownership as President. KIRA Incorporated, (now KIRA LLC) is a 30-year-old company that has completed over \$1 billion in facilities maintenance contracts throughout the United States and overseas. KIRA has been recognized by over 100 awards for quality and safety. The Army awarded KIRA its global public works contractor of the year award.

Carlos currently serves as the President of KIRA LLC. As President, he has led the expansion in Base Operations Support Services as well as pioneered into new industries including Aviation Maintenance Services and Military Training Services. Under his leadership the company has expanded to include 14 new subsidiaries operating in a variety of fields across the nation and abroad.

Carlos has received multiple awards for his innovative business approach and success. Garcia was awarded Hispanic Business Magazine's *Entrepreneur of the Year* award. In addition to THTBC, Garcia is active in venture capital and has investments in seven companies. Garcia serves on the Board of Directors of companies in the CH2M Hill and Burns and Roe organizations.

Garcia is active in philanthropy. He is the founder of The Garcia Family Scholarship Fund. A resident of Colorado, Garcia was awarded the Boulder Daily Camera Pacesetter Businessman of the Year award in 2013. He has lectured at Ivy League Universities, been interviewed on national television shows, and is a key note speaker at industry trade conferences.
